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Description: ff. iii + i + 74 + i + iii - Eighteenth century, England or France. Bound in olive green goatskin gold-tooled with a "broken cable" border and decorated edges. Probably bound by Richard Wier (active in London and Toulouse to ca. 1792). Decorated edges. Title on spine: "Vegetius De Viris II". - Purchased from C. A. Stonehill in 1953 by Thomas E. Marston. - Shailor, B. Catalogue of Medieval and Renaissance Manuscripts in the Beinecke Rare Book and Manuscript Library, Marston MS 102.

Notes: -Manuscript on parchment of Vegetius, Epitome rei militaris.

Number of Parts: 1 - *Number of Images Available:* 0

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Language: Latin *Country:* France *Century:* 15th

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Part 1:

Description: - parchment - 146 x 98 (86 x 69) mm.

Country: France

Region: Flanders or Northern France

Assigned Date: [between 1450 and 1500]

Dated by scribe: No

Document: No

Script: Written in small gothic bookhand by a single scribe.

Notes: Three illuminated initials, 3-line, at the beginning of the Prologue (f. 1v), Bk. 3 (f. 29v), Bk. 4 (f. 58r), blue or mauve with white filigree against gold ground thinly edged in black. Initials filled with stylized leaves, blue and mauve with white filigree. Black ink spray with spiky gold leaves and small blossoms in pink or blue extend into the margins to form partial borders. Numerous small initials, 2-line, gold, on mauve and blue ground with white filigree. Running headlines in red and blue; headings in red. Paragraph marks alternate red and blue. Initials stroked with pale yellow. Binding: Eighteenth century, England or France. Bound in olive green goatskin gold-tooled with a "broken cable" border and decorated edges. Probably bound by Richard Wier (active in London and Toulouse to ca. 1792). Decorated edges. Title on spine: "Vegetius De Viris II".

Number of Texts: 1

Text 1:

Author: Vegetius Renatus, Flavius.

Title: Epitome rei militaris.

Subjects: Vegetius Renatus, Flavius.; Illumination of books and manuscripts, Medieval.; Latin literature.; Manuscripts, Medieval--Connecticut--New Haven.; Military art and science--Early works to 1800.;

Language(s): Latin
